## OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 12TH SEPTEMBER 1925.

A total of 174 attacks with 121 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 190 attacks and 115 deaths in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from the disease.

2. Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 80 attacks with 55 deaths in 1924 and 324 attacks and 223 deaths in 1923.

3. The State continued to remain free from cholera and influenza.

4. Ten attacks with one death from relapsing fever were returned for one village in the Channagiri Taluk.

5. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 66, representing a calculated annual ratio of 28·94 per mille of population against the average ratio of 33·35 for 1924. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—3 under malaria, 1 under pneumonia, 3 under typhoid, 3 under other fevers, 9 under phthisis, 8 under dysentery and diarrhœa, and 39 under all other causes.

6. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 37, representing a calculated annual ratio of 22·91 per mille of population against the average ratio of 29·01 for 1924. The causes of deaths were—Malaria 1, pneumonia 3, typhoid 1, other fevers 1, phthisis 9, dysentery and diarrhœa 4 and all other causes 18.

7. There were 33 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 19·57 per mille of population against the average ratio of 28·15 for 1924. The deaths numbered 1 under malaria, 1 under other fevers, 4 under dysentery and diarrhœa, and 27 under all other causes.

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